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Sept. 22nd 1964

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R. A Hand holding a Scroll, on which is, Our Cause is just. S. Unanimity is the Strength of Society. E. Plain.

96
cont

2. United States. O & R. same as last.

E. Payable in Lancaster,
London or Bristol.

3. ditto

O. Head S. Washington President

R. The American Eagle
holding an Olive Branch
with one Foot & Darts
with the other S. One Cent 1791

E. United States of America

101

4. York (New.) O. A ship in full sail. S.
Talbot, Allum & Lee, New
York. One Cent.

R. The Figure of Liberty, and
a Bale of Goods. S. Liberty
&
~~and~~ Commerce. Ex. 1794

E. Payable at the Store of

5. Ditto. O. A Ship in full sail. S. At
the Store of Talbot, Allum
& Lee, New York.

R. same as last, except Date.
1795

E. We promise to pay Bearer
one Cent.

I have copied
the entries in
Brichall's list.
Your other queries
will be answered
in my next letter.
Yours sincerely,
Joan Martin

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Mrs J. S. Martin

Dept of Coins & Medals

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The British Museum,

London, W.C.1

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ON HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S SERVICE

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In reply please quote:

Sept 23rd 1964

Dear Mr Newman,

I have now completed my researches
and the answers to your THORESBY enquiries
are here on the separate sheets.

You will notice that there is an E in
his name.

Best wishes

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THE BRITISH MUSEUM,
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October 20th 1967

Dear Mr Newman, I am extremely sorry to hear of your loss and trust that you will soon get the coins returned.

Birchall is a printed book - "A Descriptive List of the Provincial Copper Coins or Tokens, issued between the years 1786 and 1796, arranged alphabetically" by Samuel Birchall of Leeds From the originals in his own possession.

LEEDS. Printed for S. Birchall and sold by Henry Young, Ludgate Street, London. 1796.

Thoresby listed the Elephant halfpenny under Charles II.

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